Proposition 84 Statewide Park Program – Round One



City of Cathedral City

\$4,998,392

Cathedral City Whitewater Park

This project will create the new Cathedral City Whitewater Park in the City of Cathedral City through development of a 5.05 acre parcel and construction of a new baseball, soccer, and football multi-purpose field, two children's play areas, skateboard area, two basketball courts, walking trail with fitness stations, water splash area, courtyard, group and individual picnic area w/ shade structures, parking lot, restroom/concession building, lighting, and landscaping.

Through community based planning meetings, youth, seniors, and families selected these features. Additional design ideas from residents to be included in the project are:

- The children's playgrounds will be shaded, the baseball/softball field will include dugouts and shaded seating, with the outfield designed as a football and soccer field overlay.
- Children's playgrounds should be close together and near the entrance courtyard, restrooms, and parking, place splash pad near playgrounds, seating should be close for visibility of play areas, place ball field away from homes and angle away from the sun, place basketball courts and skate board area away from children's play areas, place walking path around perimeter of park, place picnic areas throughout the park.
- Security lighting, fencing at the South end of park by homes.
- For park beautification, use native plants, flowers, and rock features to form an artistic symbol of the desert history, a courtyard entryway, water fountains, meandering trails, decorative drinking fountains, and a Whitewater Park monument sign.
- 20 residents will volunteer for park beautification landscaping.

The project will include these sustainable techniques:

- Smart irrigation controllers with weather and soil sensors.
- Pervious surfaces, bioswales, porous concrete and asphalt.
- 10% or more recycled materials will be used, construction waste will be recycled.
- Drought tolerant and native plants will be used.
- Solar powered lighting, skylights, insulation and solar orientation for concession building/restroom, low flow water fixtures, dry wells for runoff, locally sourced landscape materials,

The park will be open daily from dawn to dusk until approximately 9 PM. No fees will be charged to use the park.









